

National Republican

To Our Subscribers.
From and after the first day of December the price of the NATIONAL REPUBLICAN, delivered at the residence of subscribers, will be ten cents per week, or forty-five cents per month.
In consequence of the great drought which has prevailed for months past in the Middle and Northern States, the paper mills worked by water-power in those States have furnished but little paper, and some have stopped altogether, making it impossible for us to supply the demand. Much paper has consequently been imported at heavy cost.
In consequence of this fact the price of paper has increased, since we reduced the price of the NATIONAL REPUBLICAN in July last, over fifty per cent. We are therefore compelled to increase the price to meet this unprecedented rise in the price of paper, but hope that it will be only temporary, and that we shall be able to resume the old prices in a short time.
NOVEMBER 25, 1893.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' NATIONAL CONVENTION.—The delegates to this convention met last evening in the Hall of the House of Representatives.
General H. H. H. was the first speaker, and delivered an interesting address. C. H. Madison was added to the list of speakers.
Several resolutions were offered, and considerable discussion was had on the question as to whether or not the convention should be held in the House of Representatives.
The general disposition appeared to incline in the direction of holding the convention in the House of Representatives, and some members argued that the convention was really a national convention, and should be held in the House of Representatives.
This being the case, it was argued that all members of the House of Representatives should be present, and that the convention should be held in the House of Representatives.
The convention was adjourned until the next evening.

General Fisher offered a resolution expressing the sense of the convention in condemnation of the policies of the House of Representatives, and in support of the policy of the Senate.
The resolution was adopted by a vote of 100 to 50.
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CONCEALED WEAPONS.—Tobias Savage was arrested yesterday by Officer Wallingford, of the Seventh precinct, for carrying concealed weapons. Justice Booth fined him \$20.

LOST A SILVER HUNTING-CASE.—An American watch, believed to be of the American Watch Company's (Waltham, Mass.) manufacture, and valued at \$400, is being offered for reward. The reward will be paid upon return of the watch to the owner, at this office.

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WASHINGTON CITY POST OFFICE ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

Northern and Eastern Mails.—Due at 8:40 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 5:40 p. m., 8:40 p. m., 11:30 p. m. Due at 8:40 a. m., 11:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., 5:40 p. m., 8:40 p. m., 11:30 p. m.
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On Sunday, only two mails are received from the North, and but one from the West and Northwest, due at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m. Mails departing on this day for these routes close at 4:45 p. m. For Norfolk, Old Point Comfort, and Portsmouth, Va., at 5 p. m. The office is open for the delivery of letters and papers from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m., except on Sunday, when it is open from 8 to 10 a. m., and from 6 to 7 p. m.

COLEMAN'S, 111 N. 11th St., New York City.
SPECIAL NOTICES.
The undersigned having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption, is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the name of the remedy.

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BOARDING.

BOARDING—TWO GENTLEMEN CAN be accommodated with a ROOM and BOARD at 407 Maryland Avenue. **WANTED.**
Wanted, a few more of the following: Books, Periodicals, Stationery, Stamps, etc., on hand for sale.

FOR SALE.
Building recently occupied by the United States Government, on 1st Street, corner of New Jersey Avenue, and known as "Postoffice Building." It is a first-class building, containing all the modern improvements, and is well adapted for a variety of purposes. It is now being thoroughly refitted and repaired to its former condition by the United States Government, and will soon be completed. For terms of rental or sale, apply to my Attorney, JOHN H. JOHNSON, No. 14 Louisiana Avenue, Bank of Washington Building.

SALE OF TWENTY THOUSAND CORDS OF GOVERNMENT WOOD.
HEADQUARTERS DEPT. OF WASHINGTON, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, (Corner Penn. Avenue and 15th Street).
By direction of the Quartermaster General U. S. A., sale will be made in this city and Alexandria, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1894, of twenty thousand cords of wood, in quantities from 1/2 cord to 10 cords, to any and all persons desiring to purchase.

THE ORIGINAL HUTCHINSON FAMILY.
WILL GIVE CONCERT IN THIS CITY, AT SEATON HALL, ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 24. Subject of the songs: Love of Country, Union, Peace, Reconstruction, Free Suffrage, Copperheads, etc. Tickets 10c. To be had at Ellis' Music and Parker's News Stand, Post Office.

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AMUSEMENTS.

GOVERNMENT THEATRE.
Pennsylvania Avenue, near Willard's Hotel, LEONARD GROVER & CO., Directors.
THIRD AND LAST WEEK of the brilliant and memorable engagement of the bewitching actress and unsurpassable favorite, MISS MAGGIE MITCHELL, who will appear THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, Jan. 23, 1894, for the first time this season, in her celebrated and infinitely pleasing comedy, "THE LITTLE HAREFOOT," in the beautiful play, in 3 acts, translated from the German expressly for Miss Maggie Mitchell, by Augustus Walden, Esq., and called "THE LITTLE HAREFOOT."

LECTURE BY
MR. JAMES G. SWINDELL, REPORTER THE LADIES' NATIONAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION, ON TUESDAY evening, January 23, 1894, at the United League Hall, Ninth Street, between D and K Streets.

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AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF STRAM MILL AND GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.
OFFICE DEPOT COMMISSIONER OF SUBSISTENCE, WASHINGTON, D. C., January 18, 1894.
Will be sold, at public auction, on THURSDAY, January 19, 1894, at 11 o'clock, A. M., in Alexandria, Va., the following public property, viz: The Steam Mill on King street, near Payson's two-story building, 44 by 57 feet, and one frame building, 16 by 14 feet.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS AT ANNAPOLIS, MARYLAND.
HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, CORNER 15th STREET AND PENNA. AVE.
Will be sold on the premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the times and places hereinafter specified, the following public buildings, at Annapolis, Maryland, and Camp Parole, near that city, viz:

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Proposals will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock, P. M., on THURSDAY, February 1st, 1894, for the grading, trimming, and paving of the streets and footways and paving the gutters and alleys in the First and Second Wards of the City of Washington, D. C., to be done in accordance with the following specifications:

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In the case of Amos Young, administrator of the estate of John H. Young, deceased, the administrator of the estate of John H. Young, deceased, is appointed SATURDAY, the 27th day of January, 1894, for the final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said deceased, and of the assets in hand, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money, and where all the creditors and heirs of said deceased are notified to attend, at the Orphans' Court of Washington County, at the City of Washington, D. C., on the 27th day of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to show cause why the said estate should not be distributed as proposed by the administrator.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, THAT THE subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington County, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of George Thompson, late of Washington County, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the subscriber, on or before the 15th day of December next; they may otherwise be lawfully excluded from all benefit of the said estate.
Given under my hand this 15th day of December, 1893.
J. C. ROBINSON, Register of Wills.

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